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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
Yoko IWAMIYA, et al. : ART UNIT: 1712
SERIAL NO: 09/874,055 :
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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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SIR:

In response to the Official Action dated March 14, 2003, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 2 of this response.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this response.

Support for the Amendment appears on page 9 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this response.